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Abbreviations

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shape up improve, move
□ **shapeless** amorphous,
is; unformed, indefinite,

ee/ adj. (shape+li+er,
ell formed. 2 of pleasing
iness n.
portioned, graceful, neat,
od-looking, attractive; vo-

broken piece of pottery,

portion that a person re-
s to a common amount
d by an individual to an
itment. b part received
m this. • u. 1 tr. get or
e of. 2 tr. use or benefit
ers. 3 intr. have a share;
share with you?). 4 intr.
ate. □ **share'a•ble** adj.
shared adj. shar'er n.
at MUTUAL
division, apportionment,
dividend. 2 interest,
lice. • u. 1, 2 divide up,

OWSHARE.
irhöldar/ n. owner of
air/ n. Computing soft-
ge, usu. voracious ma-
g body and prominent

log. swindler; profiteer.
in/ n. 1 skin of a shark.
ed fabric.

1 having an edge or
pierce. 2 tapering to a
brupt; steep. 4 well-
5 a severe or intense.
gent. c (of a frost) se-
ice or sound) shrill and
etc.) harsh or acrimo-
gue). 8 acute; quick to
take advantage; art-
risk. 11 Mus. (C, F,
higher than C, F, etc.
ynonym study at KEEN.
ised a semitone above
sign (SHRP) indicating
; cheat. • adv. 1 punc-
Mus. above true pitch.
y perceptive or intelli-
sharp'ness n.

en; razor-sharp, knife-
sudden, precipitous,
ir. 4 see DEFINITE 2.
ag, sudden, piercing.
6 high-pitched, pen-
dulous, acerbic, vitri-
keen-witted, sharp-
ent. 9 clever, shrewd,
is, dishonest. 10 see
adj. 1. 12 chic, dap-
fashionable. • adv.
the dot. 2 sharply,
also suddenly (SUD-
1 see INTELLIGENT 2.

□ **sharply** severely, sternly, harshly; sud-
denly, quickly, abruptly.

sharp'en /shärpən/ v. make or become
sharp. □ **sharp'en•er** n.

■ hone, grind, strop, whet.

sharp'er /shärpər/ n. swindler, esp. at cards.

sharp•shot•er /shärpshōtər/ n. skilled
marksman. □ **sharp'shoot•ing** n. & adj.

shat•ter /shäṭər/ v. 1 tr. & intr. break sud-
denly in pieces. 2 tr. severely damage or ut-
terly destroy. 3 tr. greatly upset. 4 tr. (usu.
as shattered adj.) exhaust. □ **shat•ter•ing**
adj. shat•ter•ing•ly adv. shat•ter•proof
adj.

■ 1 disintegrate, burst, pulverize, smash,
splinter. 2 ruin; devastate, wreck, dash, de-
molish. 3 disturb, perturb, trouble, discom-
pose. 4 (shattered) see exhausted (EXHAUST
v. 2).

shave /shayv/ • v. tr. (past part. shaved) or [as
adj.] shav'en) 1 remove (bristles or hair)
with a razor. 2 reduce by a small amount.

3 pass close to without touching; miss nar-
rowly. • n. 1 shaving or being shaved. 2 nar-
row miss or escape = close shave (see CLOSE!).

■ v. 2 trim, clip, crop; pare; snip off.

shav•er /shayvər/ n. 1 thing that shaves.
2 collog. young lad.

shav•ing /sháyvɪng/ n. 1 thin strip cut off of
wood, etc. 2 [attrib.] used in shaving the face
(shaving cream).

shawl /shawl/ n. piece of fabric, usu. rectan-
gular, worn over the shoulders or head.
□ **shawled** adj.

Shaw•nee /shawnee, shaa-/ n. 1 a N. Amer-
ican people native to the central Ohio valley.
b member of this people. 2 language of this
people.

she /she/ • pron. (obj. her; poss. her; pl.
they) 1 woman or girl or female animal pre-
viously named or in question. 2 thing re-
garded as female, e.g., vehicle or ship. • n.
1 female; woman. 2 [in comb.] female (she-
goat).

sheaf /sheef/ • n. (pl. sheaves /sheevz/) group of things laid lengthwise together and
usu. tied, esp. grain stalks, etc. • v.tr. (also
sheave /sheev/) make into sheaves.

shear /sheer/ • v. tr. (past sheared, archaic
shore /short; past part. shorn /shorn/ or
sheared) 1 cut with scissors or shears, etc.
2 remove by cutting. 3 clip the wool off (a
sheep, etc.). • n. [in pl.] (also pair of shears
sing.) large clipping or cutting instrument
shaped like scissors. □ **shear'er** n.

sheath /sheeth/ n. (pl. sheaths /sheethz,
sheeths/) 1 close-fitting cover for the blade
of a knife or sword. 2 condom. 3 Bot.,
Anat., & Zool. enclosing case or tissue.
4 woman's close-fitting dress. □ **sheath'**
less adj.

sheathe /sheeth/ v. tr. 1 put into a sheath.
2 encase; protect with a sheath.

she•bang /shibáng/ n. sl. (esp. the whole she-
bang) everything.

shed¹ /shed/ n. one-story structure usu. of
wood for storage or shelter for animals, etc.,
or as a workshop.

■ hut, shack, stall, booth, cote, hutch.

shed² /shed/ v. tr. (shed•ding; past and past

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part. shed) 1 let or cause to fall off (trees shed
their leaves). 2 take off (clothes). 3 cause to
fall or flow (shed blood). 4 disperse; diffuse;
radiate (shed light). □ **shed'der** n.

■ 1 drop, spill; molt, cast. 2 remove, strip.
3 spill, drop, pour out or forth, discharge,
emit. 4 dissipate, spread; emanate, emit.

she'd /sheed/ contr. 1 she had. 2 she would.
sheen /sheen/ n. 1 gloss or luster. 2 radi-
ance; brightness.

■ shine, gleam, polish, shininess; glow,
shimmer.

sheep /sheep/ n. (pl. same) 1 ruminant
mammal with a thick woolly coat, esp. kept
in flocks for its wool or meat. 2 bashful,
timid, or silly person.

sheep•dog /sheépdawg, -dog/ n. 1 dog
trained to guard and herd sheep. 2 a dog of
various breeds suitable for this. b any of
these breeds.

sheepish /sheépish/ adj. 1 bashful; shy; ret-
icient. 2 embarrassed through shame.
□ **sheepish•ly** adv. sheepish•ness n.

■ 1 timid, withdrawn, passive, docile. 2 see
SHAMEFACED 1.

sheepskin /sheepskin/ n. 1 garment or rug
of sheep's skin with the wool on. 2 leather
from a sheep's skin used in bookbinding.

sheer¹ /sheer/ • adj. 1 unqualified; absolute
(sheer luck). 2 (of a cliff or ascent, etc.) per-
pendicular. 3 (of a textile) diaphanous.
• adv. 1 directly; outright. 2 perpendicu-
larly. □ **sheer'ly** adv. sheer'ness n.

■ adj. 1 unmitigated, downright; out-and-
out, unadulterated. 2 steep, precipitous, ab-
rupt, vertical. 3 transparent, see-through,
thin.

sheer² /sheer/ • v.intr. swerve or change
course: • n. Naut. deviation from a course.

sheet¹ /sheet/ n. 1 large rectangular piece of
cotton or other fabric, used for bedclothes.
2 a broad usu. thin flat piece of material
(e.g., paper or metal). b [attrib.] made in
sheets (sheet iron). 3 wide continuous sur-
face or expanse of water, ice, flame, falling
rain, etc. 4 set of unseparated postage
stamps. □ **sheet metal** metal formed into
thin sheets. sheet music music published
on unbound pages.

■ 2a, 3 pane, panel, plate, slab; lamina,
layer; area, stretch, film, coat, coating, covering,
blanket, cover, surface, skin, sheet
sheet² /sheet/ n. rope attached to the lower
corner of a sail for securing or controlling it.
sheikh /sheek, shayk/ n. (also sheik) chief or
head of an Arab tribe, family, or village.
□ **sheikh'dom** n.

shekel /shékal/ n. 1 chief monetary unit of
modern Israel. 2 hist. silver coin and unit of
weight in ancient Israel, etc. 3 [in pl.] collog.
money; riches.

shelf /shelf/ n. (pl. shelves /shelvz/) 1 flat
piece of wood or metal, etc., projecting from
a wall, or as part of a unit, used to support
books, etc. 2 flat-topped recess in a wall,
etc., used for supporting objects. □ **on the**
shelf postponed, as a plan or project. shelf
life amount of time for which a stored item